

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 10

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OFFICE OF COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT

November 6, 2014

Nancy Ahern, Deputy Director City of Seattle Utilities Systems Management Branch PO Box 34018 Seattle, WA 98124-4018

Re:

Long Term Control Plan and Integrated Plan

Consent Decree Number – 2:13-cv-678 NPDES Permit Number – WA-003168-2

Dear Ms. Ahern:

EPA would like to clarify the letter sent to Seattle dated October 31, 2014. This letter approved the Draft Long Term Control Plan (LTCP) and provided EPA conditional approval of the draft Integration Plan (IP). Both plans will only be considered completely approved when both EPA and Ecology have approved each as final documents. As such, approval of the final LTCP and final IP by the Agencies will require the City to address comments raised by both EPA and the Washington State Department of Ecology's in the next iteration of each.

If you have any questions regarding this letter or other matters related to your compliance with environmental laws, please contact me at (509) 376-3748.

Sincerely,

Robert Grandinetti, Compliance Officer

NPDES Compliance Unit

cc:

Alison Evens, Ecology

Betty Meyer, Seattle Public Utilities